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In re Patent Application of:  
Hee-Sook Song et al.

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For: TRANSGENIC EXPRESSION CONSTRUCTS  
FOR VEGETATIVE PLANT TISSUE  
SPECIFIC EXPRESSION OF NUCLEIC ACIDS

Examiner: Worley, Cathy Kingdon

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Communication dated September 19, 2008, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.